Geography in the U. S. A. By Rhythm, Rhyme, Results

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Chorus  
Mountains, valleys, rivers, lakes  
So much to see in the 50 states  
But you don’t need a car, you don’t need a plane  
To learn geography in the U.S.A.

Verse I  
If you lose yourself inside of a map  
Trying to figure out where the U.S. is at  
Just move your little finger to the left of the page  
The western hemisphere is the home to the States  
North America is the continent we’re in  
Conveniently between a few of our friends:  
Canada up north, Mexico below  
Atlantic on the East, Pacific on the West Coast

Verse II  
There are 50 states in the land of the free  
And the national capitol is Washington D.C.  
300 million people in the USA  
It’s the 3rd most populated country today  
50 states is a lot, and for that reason  
We divide the country into these six regions:  
New England, the Mid-Atlantic, the Midwest,  
The South, the Southwest, and the wild, wild, West

Verse III  
If you see a little blue on the map of the states  
You might be looking at the 5 Great Lakes  
Lake Superior is superior ‘cause of its size  
Next in line is Lake Michigan right by its side  
Then Lake Huron, Erie, and Ontario, too  
They’re the largest fresh water lakes stuck in a group  
But if you’re talking about bodies of water with salt  
We got the Great Salt Lake in the state of Utah

Verse IV  
Mississippi and Missouri are the longest rivers,  
But don’t try swimming in ‘em; it’ll make you shiver  
Unless you’re looking at a map that was made in 3-D  
You might not notice the highest point: Mt. McKinley  
Death Valley is the lowest elevation let me warn you  
Making its home in the state of California  
That’s about all that we got for this track  
So if you missed anything, just rewind it back!

**Listen to the song online and practice the chorus. Be prepared to share this website and song whole group.**